REMARKS

Applicant respectfully requests entry of the present amendments which generally

conform the claims to U.S. practice.

With respect to the claims, Applicant requests that any amendments made during the

International Phase of the corresponding PCT application not be entered in this U.S.

National Stage filing. Instead, Applicant requests entry of the present amendments under

37 C.F.R. §§1.115 & 1.121, which are based upon the claims as originally filed in the

International Phase of the PCT application. Herein, claims 1-34 are revised in order to

conform the claim set to U.S. practice and standards.

No new matter is being introduced by this amendment as antecedent support is set

forth in the originally filed application.

Prosecution on the merits is respectfully requested.

If there are any charges with respect to this Amendment or otherwise, please charge

them to Deposit Account No. 06-1130 maintained by Applicant's attorneys.

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